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NOVADAMS IN THE SOUTH.—
It is not often that individuals, communities or nations have an opportunity of knowing really how they are looked at by honest outsiders. It would be a good thing for them if they could see the reflection of their conduct in the mirror of the opinions of such portions of mankind.

Many a man, at the most critical period of his life, might be saved from irretrievable disaster if he could only acquire this advantage. Many whose business affairs are involved would be the better for looking their liabilities fully in the face before it is too late. "Painful are the wounds of a friend," says the Good Book; but the friendship which will administer an unpardonable dose, and from real fidelity of affection expose itself to misconstruction, is not common. Even where an individual is faltering—a case not to be supposed, except for illustration—yet if we in inadvertence and misconstrued by others, and some peculiarities in his own conduct give color to the prevailing misconception, it will be a good thing for him if he is told of it, even by an enemy. Royal sovereigns and republican sovereigns, those spoiled children of fortune, rarely hear from their courtiers aught but the language of adulation. Kings and people require from their political prophets only smooth things, and none other are offered them.

Never has any people needed more to know the unvarnished truth than the different sections of the United States need to know their exact political relations and prospects and the ideas and purposes of parties in the various sections towards each other. In the Northern States the views and policy of the South are so thoroughly misrepresented that Mr. John Quincy Adams declares that he learned more of the real state of things in the Southern States by three days' intercourse with its people than he could have done in a whole lifetime in Massachusetts. No native born orator, not even the son of that old man eloquent, John Quincy Adams, could make himself heard against the popular gale in condemnation of Northern errors. If Daniel Webster could rise from the dead he would be ostracized, as he was before, if he should attempt to question the popular infallibility. As to a Southern orator coming North and addressing the people, even by invitation, we may judge what a reception he would have if he undertook to point out their faults, from the fact that when a Southern writer in a New York journal ventures only the work of self-defense he is overwhelmed with viluperation and obloquy. But, with the South, it has become a vital matter that it should bear the truth, and in inviting such a man as Mr. Adams to speak in South Carolina, a manly desire was exhibited to look at things through a medium undimmed and undistorted by the mists of party passion, and to get at the exact realities of the situation. In accepting that invitation Mr. Adams has shown a just appreciation of the value in which the virtues of candor and sincerity are held by the Southern people, and, to use an expressive Southern phrase, has come out "flat-footed" on all that it concerns them to know. The following extract from his speech at Columbia, which we have already given, is worthy to be reproduced as an illustration of his frankness of utterance and unswerving advice of great wisdom and of practical value:

"Your relations in the political parties of the North have a very important bearing upon your fate for all events just now, and demand careful meditation. Most of you doubtless regard the success of the democratic party as essential to your release from your present position, but it is my duty to remind you that men in your position have the right to be bigoted or partisan. You must, of course, feel a deep interest in the success of those who espouse your cause, and you may properly exert all legitimate influence to promote their success; but you ought not to shut the door to aid from any source. I have already deprecated our spurious and undistinguishing hostility to the republican party. I would now warn you against an absolute and exclusive devotion to this party. After this year, 1868, in my judgment, the republican party will be

the only party in the Union which will be able to stand up for the rights of the slaves.

FORSYTH'S INDIAN FIGHT—INTERESTING DESCRIPTION OF IT.

The Philadelphia North American prints a letter dated at Fort Wallace, Kansas, October 1st, from Lieut. Col. Carpenter, who went to the relief of Col. Forrest, when recently attacked and surrounded by Indians upon an island in "Bob Tail Creek." First describing his search after Forsyth's party, its exact whereabouts being unknown, and their arrival in the vicinity of the creek, he proceeds to say:

"On the other hand, in case of General Grant's election, you will be called on to exercise a while longer your patience and forbearance. I am sure it will be rewarded in the end. I don't believe that General Grant is your enemy. I feel sure he means kindly toward you, and will do justice and show mercy in his course toward you. A large mass of republicans will help you, if you will do your best to help yourselves. A great majority of all the North only want to be sure it is safe to take you cordially by the hand once more. But, then, your time. In either event, possess your souls in patience. Call to your aid that grandest of all human qualities, self-control, and all will yet be well."

Not only in this speech, but in others since delivered, Mr. Adams recognizes the great convulsions which have rent and upturned Southern society, and recommends to rebuild with a view to the changes produced by the earthquake, and not upon the foundations which it has shaken to fragments. But, supposing General Grant to be elected, it may be that, however friendly and conservative his dispositions, he will be no more able to manage them than is Andrew Johnson. How can the conservatism embodied in U. S. Grant prevail over a two-thirds radical majority in Congress any more than when it is embodied in Andrew Johnson? If Mr. Adams is right in his estimate of a strong conservative leaning in the republican party, then indeed there may be room for hope.

In dealing with this subject, however, Mr. Adams has necessarily said much which may be distasteful to the South, but the question is whether he utters the words of wisdom, of soberness, of truth? It is taught that he has said may seem harsh; it is absurd, under the circumstances, to suppose that it was so intended. It is not Massachusetts gentlemen who insult the South.

General Butler, who visited Charleston before the war, and professed to be an extreme friend of the South, might insult it in its alien state, but not the son of John Quincy Adams. It is not often that any people have an opportunity of such a revelation of the real state of things connected with their political situation and salvation as these addresses afford. It is not often that, anywhere, a public man is found who can rise above all party associations and influences, and, prompted by a genuine passion for the public good, and the good especially of those whom he may temporarily wound, speak forth his inmost convictions without fear or favor. Mr. Adams deserves the credit of ascending to an eminence of moral courage and conscientious candor in his speeches at the South, which were indeed demanded by the times, but which no one, but himself seems to have been able to respond to. And whatever difference of sentiments there may be as to his counsel, there can be but one opinion as to the superriority he has exhibited over the groveling motives of mere self seeking partisans, and the sincerity and independence which are so conspicuous in him, and in the greatest period so rarely found, that, hereafter, when any allusion is made in our political assemblies to an honest man, the thoughts of the audience will naturally recur to J. Q. Adams as the type of the Athenian playgoers are said to have had in mind.

A big medicine man appeared about five hundred yards distant, beating his drum and shaking his shield, to assure them of their safety from bullets, by his charm. The Indians, thus induced to do their best, charged again and again, only to lose large numbers. About two hundred then dismounted and crept along ravines and under cover in within good rifle range, and kept up a constant fire whenever any one raised hand or foot. Lieutenant Beigher was mortally wounded in the back, and the surgeon, Dr. Moore, shot through the head. Every officer was killed or wounded, and about seventeen out of fifty of the men. The Indians drew off after dark with the main body, but left enough to harass them all night. Every horse and mule was killed on this day's fight, and lay where they were tied. Colonel Forsyth sent two men to seek for assistance as soon as it was dark enough, and these men succeeded in getting through the Indians and reaching Fort Wallace, and in bringing the information

that had been sent to him.

Toward evening the shouts and songs of the squaws turned into a dismal wailing and mourning cry for the dead. One of them was heard to cry, "My child." The next day a skirmishing fire was kept up, and the same thing the next day, but at this time it was evident that the main body had left, and that a small portion had remained to observe them.

In the meantime, as their rations had given out, they had to live on horse flesh, without salt or pepper, and when I reached them, on the 28th, the meat had become putrid. Several of the men told me that they were unable, for the last twenty-four hours, to keep it on their stomachs. You can imagine the delight they manifested on the arrival of our party. Forsyth took me by the hand and seemed quite affected. He told me that it seemed fixed that we should meet in places out of the way and far apart. He and two other badly wounded men were lying in a square hole dug out in the sand, within a few feet of their dead horses, which lay around them in a semi-circle, and impregnated the air with a terrible stench.

Immediately selected a place near by

and had several tents erected, the wounded men carried over, and the rest removed to a more salubrious air. Three dead Indians were buried by them, but over

thirty others were killed, and carried away by their comrades, and about seventy wounded.

The savages were evidently

badly demoralized, and the fight is consid

ered to be one of the most desperate in the annals of our Indian wars.

Bankhead arrived with his force twenty-

six hours after I did, bringing with him

two companies of the second cavalry, com-

manded by no less a person than our old

friend Giblin. On the 27th we turned to

Fort Wallace, and arrived there on the 28th

at 10 a.m. and found the fort in a

state of great confusion, the men on the

outlook being

RATES OF TAXATION IN 1860 AND 1868.

It is stated that Director Delmar, of the

bureau of statistics, is preparing a very in-

teresting table showing the rate of taxation

in the United States in 1860 compared

with that in 1868. The following are some

of the statements contained in the table,

given in round numbers. The statistics,

when published, will give the exact figures:

—In 1860 the aggregate amounts of federal tax paid by the people of the United States was \$6,000,000; the amount of State tax was \$24,000,000, and the amount of county, town, special and other taxes was about \$54,000,000, making a total of \$434,000,000, or about \$4.32 for each man, woman and child. In 1868 the amount of federal tax was \$600,000,000; the amount of State tax was \$75,000,000, and the amount of county, town, special and other taxes was about \$276,000,000, making a total of \$251,000,000, or \$23 for each man, woman and child in the United States.

SECRET TRUSTS.—The United States Su-

preme Court has recently made an im-

portant decision on the subject of the trans-

fer of land, professing to be an absolute con-

veyance, but accompanied with a concealed

verbal agreement between the parties, se-

curring a benefit to the grantor at the ex-

pense of his creditors. The court says that

the law will not permit a debtor in

circumstances to convey his lands by deed

without reservations, and yet occupy it for

a limited time for his own benefit.

Hence, when a debtor in pursuance of a private

understanding, retains possession, rent free,

for one year, of land sold by him, such con-

duct creates a secret trust for his benefit

and renders the conveyance fraudulent as to

creditors, and void. And it made no differ-

ence, in the legal aspect of the case before

the court, that the interest received was not

of great value, and that the debtor did not

intend to defraud his creditors.

Minnesota expects a crop of about fifteen

million bushels of wheat this season, worth

twenty million dollars.

The State is ten

years old, and has a

population of about

one million and a half.

Some one, it is said, has invented a cigar-

making machine that turns out one hundred

thousand a day.

It is said to be

the most rapid and

most efficient in the world.

Hillsborough Advertiser.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Wednesday, Oct. 28, 1868.

All those indebted to this office for subscriptions, advertisements, or job work, are earnestly requested to make immediate payment. Our necessities require it, and our advanced age admonishes us of the propriety of settling up our affairs.

We are authorized to announce Mr. JOHN W. GRAHAM, as the Conservative candidate to represent the people of Orange in the Senate.

We are authorized to announce JOHN H. WATSON, as an independent candidate for the Senate, on the Conservative ticket, in the county of Orange.

The meeting of the Synod of North Carolina has been postponed to Wednesday the 18th of November, to meet at Wilmington at 7 o'clock in the evening.

We understand that our neighbor Joseph Turner, jr., has already obtained very nearly the number of subscribers with which he is willing to commence the publication of his paper. We have never known so large a list made up so rapidly, and have no doubt of the full success of the enterprise. The zeal and energy with which Mr. Turner pursues every thing he undertakes is very apt to insure success.

The Legislature of Louisiana adjourned on the 20th inst. at midnight, six o'clock. The Governor's veto of the five million dollar bill, was sustained by a vote of 19 to 8. A bill of two thousand dollars, and another of fifty thousand dollars, it is said, were offered to secure the passage of the bill over the Governor's veto.

CAROLINA FARMER.—We have received the first number of the Carolina Farmer, edited and published by Wm. H. Bernard, Wilmington, N. C. It is well printed, and very neatly got up, and its pages filled with a large variety of matter useful to the Farmer and Gardener. In all respects it is equal to all that has been promised, and we trust it will receive a generous support. The price is only \$2 a year, to be paid in advance.

REGISTRATION.—The registration in this State commences on the 15th instant (to-morrow) and will continue until the election. Let it be remembered that no one will be entitled to vote who does not have his name registered. The registration of last year will not answer; every one who intends to vote must register anew. It will be wise to attend to it early.

All lovers of freedom, will be pleased by calling on Mr. Pleasant, who has made arrangements to keep a supply during the season, served up in any style to suit his customers, call and see him, and if he is pleased, use on the left perhaps will be pleased.

We are gratified to announce that there will be division among the Conservatives of this county in regard to the choice of senators in the place of Hon. Joseph Turner, jr. In accordance with the agreement between the parties, a large meeting was held at Hillsborough, on Saturday the 25th, when the following correspondence having been read, Col. J. C. Webb authorized the withdrawal of his name, and after consultation a committee of ten appointed by his chair, Hon. W. P. Morris, presented the name of Mr. John W. Graham, and on motion he was unanimously nominated.

Hillsborough, N. C., Oct. 22d, 1868.

MR. JOHN W. GRAHAM,
Dear Sir: As it is desirable, in the present condition of political affairs, that there should be no division in the ranks of the Conservative Party, and as you are not willing to submit to the action of the Convention held in this place on the 17th inst., I propose, for the sake of harmony and to prevent the possible election of a member of the Radical party, that we both withdraw, and submit to the action of a Convention to be held on Friday the 30th inst., at this place, and that we issue handbills to notify the people to that effect and urge the importance of a full attendance.

Very respectfully, Yours truly,
JOHN C. WEBB.

Hillsborough, N. C., Oct. 22d, 1868.

Col. J. C. Webb,
My Dear Sir: Appreciating the kind motives which prompted your letter of this date, and deplored the unfortunate division which now exists among our friends, I beg leave to state candidly and fully some of the reasons which induced me to become a candidate for the Senate, before I consider your proposal. When it became known that Mr. Turner would not be admitted to his seat, I was urged by many friends from various parts of the county to allow them to

bring me forward for that position. It was stated by them, that as so many of our members were disqualified by the Howard Amendment, and the questions which will come before the next Legislature are of such vital interest to our people, and the Senate a body small in numbers upon which we must operate by argument and reason, it was of the utmost importance that we should select from the small number left, a person of some experience in Legislative affairs, who had given some attention to matters of finance and taxation, who was somewhat familiar with the framing and enacting of laws, and conversant with the wants and necessities of our people, and the remedies adequate to their relief. It was further urged that a large portion of the people were most dissatisfied with the action of the Committee in the nomination made last spring, as they thought that I had not been fairly treated, not being allowed to make any explanation of the only vote of mine to which I have heard the least objection, (I allude to the vote in regard to compensation, and as to which I will state some things before closing, which I have had no previous opportunity to present.) By others it was stated that they would like to make some return for the generous spirit with which I supported the nominees, and the efficient aid rendered in that canvas induced by these considerations, and having received no public approval from the people of Orange of my course in the convention, I thought the proper way to secure that endorsement was to present myself for their suffrages. Recur to our condition twelve months ago. Our people, depressed and dispirited by the severe military rule to which they were subjected, called upon to chose delegates to, and to vote for or against a convention—threatened if they rejected it, many of them ready to yield to all exactions; by a public Convention requested Dr. Holt and myself to come forth as their standard-bearers in defense of their old Constitution and Institutions. Yielding both pleasure and business, and taking a position in advance of a large portion of the Conservatives of the State, in opposition to a Convention, we conducted a canvass which gave universal satisfaction to our friends, and the election showed Old Orange the banner county of the State. Allow me to refer to a few things in connection with the Convention. Was ever a forlorn hope led by more desperate courage or a more determined stand ever made than by the small band of conservatives? While detracting nothing from the services of Durham, Hodge and others, it is but just to say, that the only measures or amendments accepted from the conservative side were those offered by myself.

At one time the feeling of the Convention was very strong in favor of following the example of Tennessee and disfranchising the "secessionists" as a class, and by test oaths deprive them forever from voting and holding office. This, with others, I did much to avert; for if we had been indifferent even, the measure would have passed. When it was proposed to appoint a committee to recommend persons to Congress for removal of disabilities, I strongly urged a general amnesty and the removal of disabilities from all persons. Putting a mortgage in the Bill of Rights for the benefit of foreign creditors, was resisted as a reflection upon the honesty of our people, and a proper matter for legislative action. You remember Sickles's order against bearing arms. I introduced, and had incorporated in the constitution the provision, "a well regulated militia being necessary to a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed." The creation of unnecessary offices, the extension of the term of the Governor and other officers to four years, the changes in the judiciary, and the establishment of a foreign system in the place of our county courts, were only carried after a determined resistance. The section that "the General Assembly shall, by appropriate legislation and adequate taxation, provide for the prompt and regular payment of the interest on the public debt," was opposed as grinding and oppressive on the people, especially after the addition of several millions of unnecessary expenditures which, if my advice had been followed, would have been averted to the state. It fell to my lot to draw up the minority report on the suffrage question. This, and the speech delivered in support thereof, were regarded by our friends as a true exposition of the constitutional provisions on this whole subject. Is not the tax law, prepared and introduced by me, which passed the Convention, confirming the old debt to next spring, giving relief to our people during this year, leaving the courts open at all times for trial, the best law that we have had, and best adapted to the improved condition of our people? I state these things in the spirit of boasting, but as some of the reasons why I thought the pre-

sentation of my name would not be unacceptable at this time. I believe you approve of all these measures, I could conciliate others, but proceed to consider the only objection I have heard—that I voted for eight dollars a day. In reply I have only this to say: I stated in the Convention, that I thought six was sufficient, but as the Radicals, who numbered 109 and the Conservatives only 11, had protracted the discussion through three days, at a cost of a thousand dollars a day, and being satisfied that they would have eight even if the matter had to be reconsidered every day, (Gen. Abbott, since elected U. S. Senator, at the same time advocating ten dollars,) after consultation with Dr. Holt we concluded it was best to vote for eight dollars, hoping to end the discussion, as the pay might be raised to ten, (propositions for four and six dollars having already been rejected.) The resolution passed by a large majority, and my vote in no way affected or could have affected the result. If I committed a mistake, I think you will admit it was a pardonable one, and not entitled to the abuse and harsh treatment I have received.

Besides the Convention was an extraordinary body, to last for a short time, and in no other state was the pay allowed one eight dollars. The legislature, a permanent institution, have fixed their compensation at seven, and I have heard of no effort to reduce it. (I think there are 45 conservatives in the body—we had only eleven in the convention.) Through myself and others, I made two attempts to reduce the pay of members of the Convention, by reducing it after a certain day, when it became known that the Treasurer of North Carolina would obey the order to pay the members. I voted against the convention tax, and stated that Dr. Holt and myself would receive no pay, if the Convention would exempt the people of Orange from the tax. These facts I have had no opportunity to present before, and I now ask to be heard in vindication of my action in the Convention, and in approval thereof by an election to the Senate.

And now, Colonel, as to your proposal as you say, I am unwilling to submit to the action of the small meeting held on the 17th inst., as the notice was not circulated in time to secure a full representation of the county. I myself did not know that a meeting was proposed until the night of the 15th. Having consented to the use of my name, in order to my own vindication, I cannot withdraw, unless in obedience to the wishes of the conservatives of Orange fully expressed in Convention selected from and representing all portions of the county. To their decision I have always been willing and ready to submit. The time however, you propose, the 30th, is too late, as it would be impracticable to have tickets printed and circulated, and many of the people would not be informed, even on the day of election, who was the candidate. Still I hope our friends on to-morrow may be able to come to some determination of the matter which will be satisfactory to all parties.

Very truly your friend,
JOHN W. GRAHAM.

The correspondent of the Petersburg Index, after some notices of the exhibition at the recent Haddon Fair, complimented our gifted countryman H. K. Nash, Esq., as follows:

As yet we have not mentioned the best thing of the Fair, the speech of the Hon. H. K. Nash, of Orange, which commenced at 11 o'clock and closed at one. He urged upon the people of North Carolina to guard well the agriculture of the State. He spoke of Napoleon, Czar and others, and complimented them as warriors whose fame had been written, as it were, by the blood of men, and nations have trembled at their approach, yet the memory of these men is forgotten at the bare mention of Fulton, Watt, Morse, and others who have made themselves immortal by their scientific discoveries. He spoke at length of our present condition, claiming that intelligence will yet rule, and if we will only do our duty as men, it will only be a matter of time to decide that right is might and that God is with us. We would be pleased to see this speech published, that our people might see that the old North State can boast of such a man as the Hon. H. K. Nash. His boast is in the right cause, he is worthy of the State that gave him birth, and a fight that cannot be hid is an honor to his country, a patriot and a statesman.

PROFOUND KNOWLEDGE IN THE SOUTH.—A retired publisher of New York, who two years ago purchased a fruit farm at Aiken, in South Carolina, for \$12,000, is reported to have cleared during the whole of that time \$500 a month by the culture of fruit. He shipped the fruit North. Northerners who just after the war settled near Jacksonville, Florida, are reported as having rapidly accumulated fortunes.

San Francisco, Cal., October 20.—A steamer Japan, with Hong Kong as her port of call, arrived on September 15th, and Yokohama September 21. The Japan brings over five hundred passengers and fifteen hundred tons of merchandise.

The Mikado issued a proclamation decreeing that Yedo, the capital of Japan, hereafter be called Tonkei, or Eastern Capital. The port of Yedo will be opened to foreigners October 1st. The present Governor of Yokohama, at the request of foreign representatives, will be transferred to the governorship of that city. Intelligence from Nagasaki represents that the town of Nagasaki was bombardied by steamers from Sasebo and Chinsupiace, and totally destroyed.

Rambur, the Prussian chargé d'affaires, was grossly insulted by the escort of the Japanese minister of foreign affairs while returning from the government house. He has protested against the outrage, and demanded complete reparation. No military events of importance have occurred since last advices, though considerable fighting is reported—the advantage resting with the northern army.

J. Ross Browne, United States minister to China, arrived at Shanghai Sept. 5th, and left the next day for Pekin via Tsin.

The Burlingame mission and treaty were freely discussed in the Chinese press. The treaty has given general dissatisfaction, containing no new cessions.

Anti foreigner riots occurred at Yang-Chow, near Chin-King.

The mob destroyed some missionary premises and attempted to murder the inmates. The British consul at Shanghai, in her Majesty's steamer Rinaldo, has been sent to make inquiry into the matter, and demand reparation.

San Francisco, October 21.—A heavy shock of an earthquake occurred at 7:30 this morning. The motion was from east to west. Several buildings were thrown down and a considerable number badly damaged. On Pine Battery and Sansom streets, near California, the ground sank, throwing out of line.

Several severe shocks have followed at intervals since, creating general alarm among the people. The shock was felt with great severity at San Jose, where a number of buildings were considerably injured.

LATER.—A survey of the city shows the principal damage by the earthquake confined to the lower portion, below Montgomery street, and among old buildings on made ground. Numerous houses in that portion of the city are demolished and have been pulled down.

Business in the city is suspended and the streets are thronged with people. Great excitement prevails. Parapet walls, chimneys and a number of buildings were thrown down, resulting in loss of life.

The damage does not exceed \$1,000,000. At Oakland the shock was severe, throwing down chimneys and greatly damaging numerous buildings. The ground opened in several places. A strong sulphurous smell was noticed immediately after the shock. The court-house at San Leandro demolished, and one life lost.

From various portions of the country and vicinity of San Francisco Bay the shocks are reported as severe, and considerable damage sustained. In many places the earth opened and water gushed out.

FACTS to be observed by The People

1. In the approaching election, no man is disengaged, who ever was entitled to vote.

2. A new registration will begin on the 15th of October, and every voter, old and new, must register. No man can vote without new registration, although he has registered before.

3. There are 140,000 white voters in North Carolina, and 70,000 colored voters, in round numbers, a majority of 2 to 1.

4. Although the whole of the colored vote should be cast against the Conservatives, (which will not be the case,) and 30,000 white voters added, Seymour and Blair will still carry the State, if a full vote be polled.

5. Military Government has ceased. The election on the 3d of November is to be free, as in former times. But remember, all must register over again or they cannot vote.

6. Any person who shall assume to arm men at any place of election, on election day, is liable to a penalty of \$1,000, according to the Revised Code, page 303-4.

W. A. GRAHAM,
JOHN W. NORWOOD,
H. K. NASH,
JOSIAH TURNER, JR.

There is a lady in Maine, aged 87, who has twelve children, twenty-two grandchildren, one hundred and nineteen great grandchildren, and eight great great grandchildren.

At the Pennsylvania State fair, eighty kegs of beer were sold on the ground by one man.

NEW GOODS.

At no time during a General Assortment of Goods, at prices to suit these hard times, for cash and barter.

JAMES WEBB, JR.

THE CAROLINA FARMER.

Believing that the interests of the Farmers and Planters of this section demand the publication of a periodical devoted to the advancement of Agriculture in the two Carolinas, we have determined to establish such a periodical under the title of THE CAROLINA FARMER, and will issue the first number as soon as a sufficient number of subscribers are obtained to pay a reasonable share of the expenses of publication.

The Farmer will be issued monthly at \$2 per annum, in advance; will contain not less than thirty-two large double-column pages of reading matter, bound in handsome covers; and in typographical execution will not be surpassed by any Agricultural Monthly in the country.

Being determined to do whatever energy will accomplish in making the Farmer worthy the support of the intelligent Planters and Farmers of North Carolina and South Carolina; and desiring to introduce it into every county in these States, we wish to employ active Agents at every Post-office, to whom the most liberal inducements will be offered.

Our exchanges in the two Carolinas will confer a favor, which we will be glad to reciprocate, by giving this announcement a few insertions in their advertising columns, with such editorial comment as they think the probable value of such a periodical as we propose publishing may justify.

Address all communications to

WM. H. BERNARD

July 1.—45
Wilmington, N. C.

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The subscriber would respectfully inform the public, that he is still doing business on Wake street, between King and Tryon, and keeps on hand and ready to order, any description of Furniture.

Upholding done with neatness; Civil Moldings for picture frames. Walnut and common wood Furniture on hand, and furnished at short notice.

Also Fish's Metallic Burial Cases of all sizes on hand. & Hearse for Funeral occasions. Burials in Town and country strictly attended to.

CHARLES S. COOLEY.
Hillsborough, April 14th, 1868.

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All of our Pianos are of the Grand scale, with
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the latest improvements, and fully warranted for five
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Second hand Pianos and Parlor Organs always on
hand, from \$50 to \$300.

I respectfully refer to the following persons, who
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Ransom, Wilmington, N. C.; Rev. C. B. Riddick,
Kittrell's Springs, N. C.; Willie J. Palmer, Deaf and
Dumb Institute, Branson, Farm & Co., and P. F.
Paxton, of Raleigh, and Capt. Henry Richards, of
Hillsborough, N. C.

For terms and further particulars apply to
Prof. CHARLES G. PAPE,
Agent for Hillsborough.

November 27. W. H. BERNARD, 45—12th

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(2 quarts,) at \$8.00 per dozen.

Also Cherries, and Blackberries. By

E. H. POGUE.

Feb. 12th, 1868.

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August 4—50

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February 1st, 1868.

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